

No. 21-588

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IN THE  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Petitioner,*  
v.

STATE OF TEXAS, *et al.*,  
*Respondents.*

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**BRIEF OF INDIANA, ALABAMA, ARIZONA, ARKANSAS,  
FLORIDA, GEORGIA, IDAHO, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, LOUISIANA,  
MISSISSIPPI, MISSOURI, MONTANA, NEBRASKA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA,  
SOUTH CAROLINA, SOUTH DAKOTA, UTAH, AND WEST  
VIRGINIA AS *AMICI CURIAE* IN SUPPORT OF RESPONDENTS**

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